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WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY, JULY 15, 1870.

### OFFICIAL. EVENING STAR. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, July 13, 1870.

Information has been received at this Departmen Washington News and Gossip. from Mr. Dexter E. Clapp, the Consul of the United States at Buenos Ayres, of the death, in November 1-st, at the California Colony, Argentine Republic. GEN. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN was yesterday elected Chief Engineer of the department of

docks, in New York city. PETER NEGLEY, of Hagerstown, Md., was last evening confirmed by the Senate to be Assistant Treasurer of the United States at Balti-

BILLS SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT .- The President signed the tax and tariff bill last night; and approved the Georgia bill at one o'clock to-

NOMINATION WITHDRAWN .- The President esterday withdrew the nemination of Jno. M Oliver, to be Asssociate Justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. The President's message states that the withdrawal was at the request of Mr. Oliver.

THE INDIAN APPROPRIATION BILL.-The third conference report on the Indian Appropriation Bill, agreed upon this morning, was to appropriate the amount asked for by the Senate, \$6,000,000, provided that nothing therein should be construed to affirm or deny the validity of the treaties made by the Sherman peace commissioners in 1867 and 1868.

THE PRESIDENT, accompanied by all the members of the Cabinet, arrived at the Capitol this morning about ten o'clock. General Porter his Private Secretary, and Commissioner Parker, of the Indian Bureau, also accompanied the President and Cabinet. A session of the Cabinet was convened immediately in the President's room, in the rear of the Senate.

PRUSSIA PREPARED FOR WAR .- A dispatch just received in this city announces that Prussia accepts the war with France, and is fully prepared for the contest. Baron Gerolt, the Prussian Minister, in Diplomatic circles last evening declared that Prussia was fully prepared for the contest with France, as she was much stronger to-day than she was two years ago, and could maintain the position taken by her.

THE CAPITOL To-DAY .- The corridors, anterooms, and in fact every nook and corner of the Capitol building to-day presented an appearance more like the excitement of the old impeachment" days than at any time since that memorable occasion. In the vicinity of the House of Representatives the throng was not so great, as the galleries were a convenient escape, but on the Senate side the scene was a lively one The Senate being in executive session, of course all the candidates for office who had been so successful as to get their names sent into the Senate were there either in person or through friends, awaiting the verdict of the Senate. The main hall was crowded, the side halls were crowded, and the reception room was filled with ladies, whose presence even was not sufficient to allure the anxious male expectants from the vicinity of the three main doors of the Senate. Here were men who would be United States Senators, attorneys. postmasters, consuls, secretaries of legation, &c., as well as those who would be most anything, lottering around, anxiously watching their chances. There was another class, too, of no less formidable proportions than of officers of the army and navy, nominated for promotion. It was funny to see the anxiety depicted on their countenances and the useless modes of gaining information to which they sometimes resorted. Here one would button-hole a page (who knew no more than Adam about the proceedings) and propound a grave inquiry in regard to his own personal interests, and if a Senator showed his face outside for a moment, he was the cynosure of all eyes, and every word dropped from his lips were as eagerly listened for as the oracles of Delphi of old. Every now and then the jovial face of Jim Christy would protrude from the main door, causing a general direction of eyes and ears in that quarter, but soon the lookers on wheeled off in disappointment on finding out that his mission was simply to hand out a note or give some unimportant directions. A third class, whose cominations had not yet reached the Senate, looked wistfully for the face of General Porter, and tugged remorselessly for

nformation at any one supposed to be posted. CONFIRMATIONS BY THE SENATE.-The Sen ate, in executive session, to-day confirmed the Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, of N. J., to

Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary to England, vice Motley.

Arthur McArthur, of Wis., to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the District of

Albert M. Barney, Collector of Customs at Brazos de Santiago, Texas. David Warren, Surveyor of Customs at Ga-Postmasters Jos. T. Miller, Urbana, Ill.; H. O. Paine, Dodge, Neb. Mathias V. Buckey, Justice of the Peace for the District of Columbia. Wales Hubbard, of Maine, Register of Land Office at Lewiston, Idaho. R. G. W. Jewell, of Mississippi, Consul at Pernambuco. George D. Allen, U. S. Marshal southern dis-

Leo Kirchner, Surveyor Customs, Troy, N. Y. THE FUNERAL OF SENATOR NORTON .- The following was the order of proceedings at the funeral of the late Hon. Daniel S. Norton, Senator from Minnesota, this afternoon:-The committee of arrangements, pall-bearers, and mourners attended at the late residence of the deceased, No. 1966 H street, at three and a half o'clock, when divine service was performed by the Rev. Dr. Newman, Chaplain of the Senate. When these ceremonies were completed, the funeral procession moved thence to the depot of Baltimore and Washington Railroad, and the body was taken to Baltimore by the 5:40 train. previous to its removal for interment in Minner

THE NEW JUDGE.-The President to-day ominated Arthur McArthur, of Waukesha. Wisconsin, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, in place of John M. Oliver, whose nomination to Gents' UNDERWEAR, &c.

7TH. THE BEGALIA AND THEATRICAL TRIMMING DEPARTMENT, in which can be found everything necessary for BEGALIA and MASQUERADE.

STE. THE BASKET DEPARTMENT, which presents a full assortment of TEAVELING and other BASKETS. thur was an active democrat until the breaking out of the rebellion, when he advocated a vigorous prosecution of the war, and was known as a war democrat with Senator Carpenter, George H. Walker, and several other prominent democrats of that State. Before the close of his term as Lieutenant Governor, he was elected Circuit Judge for the Milwaukie Circuit, and was re-elected several times, holding the position until about two years since when he resigned. He is regarded as a lawyer of good ability and excellent judgment. He is spoken of by his acquaintances as a gentleman of pleasing address, and as calculated to win the confidence of those with whom he comes in contact.

THE NEW YORK RIOT.—Preparations for Another One.—John Gardner, another victim of the Elm Park riot, died yesterday in New York. The Orangemen have determined to hold another picnic in August, and will call on the authorities to protect them.

The Chicago ladies now want women policemen to care for female prisoners. \*\*Cincinnati contemplates following the example of New York by establishing free baths. The hairdressers' shops of Madrid are crowded with poverty-stricken Spanish girls, anxious to sell their hair.

The Cincinnati Methodist Conference has

passed resolutions against Mrs. Van Cott's preaching, but she still holds to her own resolution to preach.

Important Message from the President. HE ASKS CONGRESS TO EXTEND ITS SESSION.

THE WAR IN EUROPE.

The President to-day sent to Congress the following message: To the Senate and House of Representatives : Your attention is respectfully called to the necessity of passing an Indian appropriation bill before the members of Congress separate.

Without such appropriation Indian hostilities are sure to ensue, and with them sufferings, loss of life and expenditures; vast as compared with the amount asked for.

The latest intelligence from Europe indicates the imminence of a war between France and North Germany. In view of this a sound policy indicates the importance of some legislation tending to enlarge the commercial marine of this country.

tending to enlarge the commercial marine of this country.

The vessels of this country at the present time are insufficient to meet the demand which the existence of a war in Europe will impose upon the commerce of the United States, and I submit to the consideration of Congress that the interests of the country will be advanced by the opportunity to our citizens to purchase vessels of foreign construction for the foreign trade of the country. An act to this effect may be limited in its duration to meet the immediate exigency.

gency.

The foreign mail service of the United States is in a large degree dependent upon the Bremen and Hamburg line of steamers. The Post Office Department has entered into contracts in writing with the two companies above named, and with the Williams and Guion lines respectively for a regular and continuous service of

tively for a regular and continuous service of two years.

The only arrangement that could be made with the Inman and Cunard lines is temporary, and may be broken off at any time. The North German lines are first-class in point of speed and equipment, their steamers usually making the trip across the Atlantic in from twenty-four to thirty-six hours in advance of the Williams & Guion line. Should the North German steamers be blockaded or impeded by France, our postal intercourse with foreign nations will be greatly embarrassed, unless Congress shall interpose for its relief.

I suggest to Congress the propriety of further postponing the time for adjournment with the view of considering the questions herein com-U. S. GRANT. Washington, D. C., July 15, 1870.

LAST HOURS OF THE SENATE. Substitution of Army Officers for Indian Agents - The President Sustained—The Nomination of Mr. Frelinghuysen—A Sharp Contest Over It.

The Senate went into executive session this morning at twenty-five minutes past one o'clock, and proceeded to the consideration of the subject of substituting army officers for Indian agents, which action, it will be remembered. was taken by the President some time since. Quite a sharp debate ensued upon this policy of inistration; but finally, on a division the President was sustained in the course pur-

The Senate then proceeded to consider the nomination of Mr. Frelinghuysen as Minister to England in place of Motley, and discussed the subject until 3 o'clock this morning, the friends of Mr. Frelinghuysen endeavoring to get a vote-Messrs. Sumner, Wilson and others warmly opposing it. At 3 o'clock a motion to take a recess was carried, with the understanding that the matter should again be taken up this morning. Accordingly, a motion to go into Executive session was carried shortly after the Senate met. at 9 o'clock this morning, although Mr. Sumner strongly opposed it.

After a long executive session the Senate con firmed the nomination of Hon. Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, as Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary to Great Britain, vice Hon. J. Lathrop Motley, recalled; the vote standing 40 to 3-Messrs. Ross, Robinson, and Sprague voting in the negative, and Mr. Sumner not noting.

The nomination of Arthur McArthur, of Wisconsin, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

THE CASE OF THE COLORED CADET .- General Pitcher, the Superintendent of the Military Academy at West Point, having ordered an investigation of the charges contained in the letto alleged bad treatment of him by his fellow cadets, the result of the examination has been transmitted to the War Department, from which it appears that Cadet Smith was interrogated, and said that the published letter was a garbled copy of that written to his friend Mr. Clarke, of Hartford. He furnished the Suclarke, of Hartford. He furnished the Su-perintendent with a true copy, which is now in the possession of the War Department. The cadet drill master denied having used the lan-guage charged, and six cadets in the squad not only deny having heard it, but their evidence shows that the drill master is not as sharp towards Smith as towards them. In the mess hall some feeling was exhibited by those with whom Smith feeling was exhibited by those with whom Smith was seated, but this was promptly checked by the authorities. The allegations of Cadet Smith's letter, though not without foundation. have been greatly exaggerated, and Smith said he had no complaint to make about the mess hall. The Superintendent reports that now a better feeling exists. The Secretary of War has ordered a court of inquiry, with ample powers, to meet at West Point on Monday, July 18, to investigate the charges of ill treatment, etc. The following officers composes the board :-Gereral J. H. Wilson, General H. L. Abbott Major T. F. Rodenbough, and Major Thomas F. Barr, judge advocate. The two officers last named are not graduates of the academy.

Pa., is not a pleasant place of abode for timid people during the prevalence of thunder storms. It is located at the base of a mountain eight hundred feet high, and eight miles from Harrisburg. In fact the town is walled in by mountains. Frequently the atmospheric phenomena in this gorge are wonderfully to behold. Recently three distinct thunder storms met seemingly directly over the town. The electricity kept up an almost continual play, while the thunderous reverberations were almost deafening, and quite continuous. The lightning darted along the railroad, and the telegraph wires gave out a multitude of sparks like those from a forge. The mountains were lit up by the vivid flashes, and frequently large rocks were displaced by the powerful fluid, and with a loud noise rolled down into the river. A barn was struck time down into the river. A barn was struck five times, although provided with lightning rods. As well may be supposed, the inhabitants were terribly alarmed while the storm lasted, and sleep closed few eyelids during the night. Although several dwelling houses were struck. no one was injured except a little girl, who was

DURL WITH SARRES IN ST. LOUIS-Both Parties Wounded.—A duel was fought in St. Louis yesterday afternoon between Major Henry Keitle, on the reportorial staff of the St. Louis Times, and Captain L. O. Van, who is said to have once served in the French army. The weapons were cavalry sabres. Major Keitle received a slight wound on the forehead and a trifling cut on the hand. One of Captain Van's eyes was put out by a thrust from a sabre. The whole affair is involved in mystery. The seconds are unis involved in mystery. The seconds are unknown, and the principals are extremely reticent. The fight is said to have grown out of some reflections cast on the fighting qualities of the Northern troops by Capt. Van.

The prettier the foot and ankle, the easier it gets up stares .- N. O. Times. Cincinnati is proud because its police court tries about sixty cases a day. Stateroom thieves infest the Hudson River

A member of the Pennsylvania Legislature, in defending mothers-in-law, said: "I know'em, Mr. Speaker. Have had several. They're a good and useful class, and yet—and yet—with the best of them there may be trouble." The Rev. Dr. Clarke, who was recently

tried before his presbytery, at Pittsburg, Pa., for breach of promise of marriage, is now to be tried for having made the alleged promise prior to the decease of his wife.

years old, was shooting at a mark with a rifle in Lisbon. Ct., on Tuesday, a little daughter of Chas. Broomly, while on the way home from school, ran across the line of the sight a few feet in front of the gun, and was shot through the neck and almost instantly died. erected to the memory of the soldiers and sail-ors of Cambridge, Mass., who died in the war, was dedicated in that city on Wednesday.

TELEGRAMS TO THE STAR. This Afternoon's Dispatches. **ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTS.** 

FROM EUROPE TO-DAY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT.

WAR DECLARED

FRANCE RESENTS THE INSULT OF. FERED TO HER MINISTER BY PRUSSIA.

Telegraphed Exclusively to The Evening Star. PARIS, July 15 .- The declaration of war has been announced in the Corps Legislatif.

FRANCE ACCEPTS THE WAR WHICH PRUSSIA OFFERS. PARIS, July 15 .- An extraordinary edition of the Constitutionael, just issued at noon, announces that in consequence of the insult offered to Benedetti, France accepts the war which

Prussia offers. FAILURE OF THE INTERVENTION FOR PEACE.

BRUSSELLS, July 15 .- The intervention of the great powers for peace has been ineffectual. Napoleon will announce a rupture of relations between France and Prussia, and the declaration of war will follow.

EFFECT IN ENGLAND. LONDON, July 15, 1 p. m .- Stocks and all securities are flat and nominal. Breadstuffs are excited and advancing.

INTERESTING PARTICULARS. DEPRESSION IN THE MARKETS. THE EMPEROR AND HIS PRIMI NAPOLEON FOR WAR-OLLIVIER FOR PEACE. THE FRENCH TROOPS ALF GONE TO THE RHINE. EASTERN FRANCE ALIVE WITH SOLDIERS.

PARIS CLEARED OF ITS GARRISON LONDON, July 15 .- The news is more warlike again to-day. The feeling at the Exchanges of Europe is one of distrust, and the prices of securities are generally at the lowest point yet reached. At Paris, at half-past eleven last to 67 francs. At Frankfort, United States 5-20 bonds closed yesterday at 88 against 96a96 %, the usual prices; and at the London Exchange this morning stocks and foreign securities opened flat and nominal at a heavy decline.

The following interesting dispatches, bearing upon the situation, were received here to-day:

PARIS, July 14, Evening.-It is reported on the best authority that an angry interview occurred to-day between the Emperor and Prime Minister Ollivier, growing out of the latter's known disposition for peace. The Emperor violently denounced Ollivier's efforts in

this direction.

The movement of troops towards the Rhine frontier is incessant. Eastern France is absolutely alive with soldiers. Troops which have hitherto garrisoned Paris are gone, and raw levies are slowly replacing them. Ambulances and caissons throng the streets of the city on their route to the east. The preparations at the different payal extricons are the different naval stations are on a similarly large scale. It is the general belief that war will be declared.

Prussia Preparing for the Struggle. BERLIN, July 15 .- The North German Gazette has a dispatch from Ems to-day, giving the par ticulars of the withdrawal of Benedetti. It seems he accosted the King of Prussia while the latter was drinking water, demanding peremptorily his intention on the impending imbroglio. He was, therefore, dismissed immediately. The same paper says:—There is much activity at Prussian ports, which are being put in a state of defence. Fourteen iron-clads are ready to sail from Brest and Cherbourg." from Brest and Cherbourg." BERLIN, July 15 .- The King returns here to

day. There is great excitement here. IMPORTANT FROM PARIS.

The People Favor the War—Austria to Remain Neutral. PARIS, July 15, Noon.—The bourse flat; rentrs, 65 francs 60 centimes. There is great agitation here. Many demonstrations in favor of war were made by the people during the night. Crowds of students and others paraded the streets and boulevards, shouting "Vive war, down with Prussia!" &c. Some persons who protested were hissed and insulted. The police did not interfere. A crowd stopped at the Prussian Embassy and shouted insultingly. It is asserted that the Austrian Embassador leaves Paris to-day. Austria professes neutrality Paris to-day. Austria professes neutrality unless a third power intervenes.

# THE LATEST.

THE DECLARATION OF WAR

HOLLAND TO REMAIN NEUTRAL.

The Belligerents to Respect the Neutrality of Belgium.

Troops Concentrating at Strategic Points.

Paris, July 15, 3 p. m .- The Corps Legislatif declared war against Prussia at ten minutes before two o'clock p. m.

Holland will remain neutral in the struggle The belligerents have engaged to respect the neutrality of Belgium; yet troops are rapidly concentrating at Antwerp and other strategic points. The specie and bullion in the National Bank of Antwerp have been removed to the citadel, and the issue of paper money is an

Important from the Pennsylvania Coal Mines—The Proposed Eight-Hour Strike a Failure. Telegraphed Exclusively to The Evening Star.

SCRANTON, July 15.—From present indications the contemplated strike of the miners in favor of the eight-hour law will prove an entire failure. Meetings of associations held in different regions within the past week have failed to harmonize the discordant feeling, and although the strike was to have begun to day nothing of the kind has been done.

the strike was to have begun to-day nothing of the kind has been done. The upper Lehigh men are all at work.

All the mines in this vicinity are being worked as usual. The Beaver Meadow miners have de-ferred action on the eight hour question until Tuesday next. This failure to carry out the resolutions of the Grand Council will, no doubt, be the means of a general resumption in the Schuylkill region. The Seven Wise Men.

Telegraphed Enclusively to The Evening Star. MOBILE, July 15.—Several delegates from New Orleans, on their way to Baltimore to attend the Convention of the Order of the Seven Wise Men, arrived this morning, and are the guests of the Grand Conclave here. They leave this evening, accompanied by delegates from this city.

The Fenian Trials—Canada Satisfied with the Result. Telegraphed Exclusively to The Evening Star. TORONTO, July 15.—Great satisfaction is expressed regarding the result of the Fenian trials at Canandaigua, showing as it does in contravention of opinions so freely expressed in English and Canadian journals, that the trials have been impartial.

Death of an Ex-Washingtonian. New York, July 15.—John R. Gillis, for-merly of Washington, died at Staten Island toTWO CENTS.

FROM CHINA. Female Emigration to be Stopped—A Chinese Consulate in San Francisco— Honors to the Memory of Minister

Telegraphed Buchusively to The Evening Star. SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—By private advices from China, it is probable that representations have been made to the Imperial government which will result in the prohibition of female immigration from China to California.

It is proposed to establish a Chinese Consulate in this city.

in this city.

The Chinese government deeply deplores the loss of Minister Burlingame. The government has conferred upon him the posthumous title of the highest rank outside of the royal family.

Commercial Union Convention.

Telegraphed Exclusively to The Evening Star. ROCHESTER, July 15 .- The Commercial Union ROCHESTER, July 15.—The Commercial Union Convention organized to-day. Several hundred delegates are present. Gov. Fairchild of Wisconsin, Gov. Merrill of Iowa, and ex-Gov. Seymour are among the number. Nathaniel Sands, of New York, was chosen president, and addressed the delegates at length. The objects of the convention are that cheap transportation by the Eric canal, the lakes, the Fox River, the Mississippi river, and the Pacific railroad be demanded. The address occupied nearly an hour.

Fatal Accident on the Kausas Pacific Bailroad. Telegraphed Exclusively to the Evening Star.

ST. Louis, July 15.—A freight train on the Kansas Pacific Railroad ran into a washed Ransas Pacific Railroad ran into a washed away culvert near Hayes City yesterday, and M. J. Reynolds, engineer, and Seth Williams, fireman, were killed; C. Palmer, conductor, and Thomas Goffrey, brakesman, were dangerously wounded. The locomotive and several cars

Telegraphed Exclusively to The Evening Star. SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—In order to promote immigration to the Pacific coast it is projected to purchase 7,000,000 acres of land in Northern California and Southern Oregon, along the line of the California and Oregon railroad, at a cost of \$10,000,000, and to encourage and aid immigration. aid immigration.

California Wants Immigrants.

Four Men Drowned. St. Louis, July 15.—While ten men were working on the wheel-house of the steamer Northwestern, at Montrose, Iowa, yesterday, the scaffolding fell, precipitating them into the river. Four of them were drowned. Their names are not given.

## FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS. This Afternoon's Proceedings.

THE CIVIL AND MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATION BILL PASSED.

THE STRUGGLE OVER THE INDIAN AP PROPRIATION BILL.

CONTESTED ELECTION CASES. HOW THE WAR NEWS FROM EUROPE WAS RECEIVED IN THE HOUSE.

THE CUBAN QUESTION.

PROBABILITY OF THE SEIZURE OF THE ISLAND BY FRANCE. HOUSE .- The House met at 9 o'clock a. m. not more than a dozen members being in their seats when the reading of the journal com-At five minutes past nine the further reading

of the journal was dispensed with, and Mr. Dawes reported from the committee of conference the civil miscellaneous appropriation bill, and the report was adopted. Mr. Paine, (Wis.,) from the Committee on Elections, made a report in the case of Grafton vs. Conner, contestants from the fourth Texas district, declaring B. F. Grafton not entitled to a seat, and postponing the case of Connor to the

He also reported a resolution to pay Grafton \$1,500 for expenses incurred in contesting the Objection was made to the latter resolution by Mr. Randall (Pa.) and others, on the ground that he was an officer of the Army, drawing his

pay from the government, and Mr. Paine with-drew it. Several members attempted to pass their special bills, but objection was made on the ground that no quorum was present, and the ayes and

The House refused to order a roll call-aver 19, noes 110—and there being a quorum shown to be present the House again proceeded to bu-

Mr. Sargent (Cal.) moved a non-concurrence in the Indian appropriation bill, and that a com-mittee of conference be ordered. Mr. Dawes said this was a question, and should have no voice in the appropriation of money. To yield to the demands of the Senate was to surrender, and there was no further use for the House. He urged calmness and deliber-ation, for upon the decision of the House to-day

ested the policy of the government for the next

Mr. Garfield (Ohio) said for the House now! block this bill was the practical question another session, when they would only succeed in accomplishing what could as well be done to-day. He agreed with the gentleman from Massachusetts, (Mr. Dawes,) that the House should surrender no rights. He also agreed as to the doubtful propriety of the treaties, but from the beginning of the government to the present day treaties had been made with the Indians, and he wished he could say we had know dians, and he wished he could say we had kept dians, and he wished he could say we had kept them. Three years ago nearly this same day the House ordered these treaties, and named the commissioners to make them. He was opposed to placing so large an amount of money in the hands of the President. On the same principle we might give him three hundred millions and tell him to run the government.

Mr. Paine (Wis ) said it was the desire of the

Mr. Paine (Wis.) said it was the desire of the Senate to bind the House to its right to make treaties with roving bands of Indians. It had precisely the same right to make treaties with bands of Germans, Chinese and Irish. The Senate's powers to make treaties were quite dif-ferent from those of an absolute monarch.

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Mr. Allison (Iowa) favored non-concurrence.

The House refused to concur in the Senate amendment—ayes 57, noes 103.

Mr. Sargant declined to serve on a new conference committee, as it might hinder the passage of the bill, and the Speaker appointed Messrs. Dawes, (Mass.,) Allison (Iowa) and Holman. (Ind.)

On motion of Mr. Hamilton, (Fla.,) the rules were suspended, and a bill introduced and passed donating the Chattahochee arsenal to passed donating the Charles the State of Florida.

Mr. Churchill, (N. Y.,) from the Committee on Elections, made a report declaring James Shields not and Rebert T. Van Horn entitled to the sixth Missouri district.

the seat from the sixth Missouri district.

Mr. Kerr (Ind.) submitted a report from the minority, precisely the reverse of the other.

The reports were ordered printed, and the case went over to the next session.

Mr. Cessna (Pa.) reported the contested election case of Reid vs. Julian, from the fourth In-

The committee submit resolutions declaring Reid not elected and not entitled to his seat, and that Mr. Julian was, and to pay the contestant \$4,500 for expenses incurred.

The latter resolution was also amended to pay B. F. Grafton, contestant from the fourth Texas district, \$1,500, and Joseph Segar, claim-

Texas district, \$1.500, and Joseph Segar, claiming to represent the State of Virginia at large, \$2,000.

Mr. Randall (Pa.) submitted a minority report, declaring Mr. Reid entitled to the seat.

The resolutions submitted by the majority were adopted, the test vote being taken on the one declaring Mr. Julian entitled to his seat, which resulted—ayes 125, noes 50.

A request from the Senate for an extension of the time of the seasion to two o'clock was received and concurred in.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from Mr. Davis, (N. Y..) resigning his position as a member of the Judiciary Committee, and appointed Mr. Hotchkiss in his place as a member of the committee.

The Speaker caused to be read a telegram from Paris to the effect that an extraordinary edition of the Constitutional this morning announces that, in consequence of the insult to Benedetti, France accepts the war which Prassia makes.

Benedetti, France accepts the war which Prussia makes.

The reading of the telegram was greeted with applause on the floor and in the galleries.

Mr. Bingham (Ohio) moved to suspend the rules and pass the Senate bill providing for the construction of a post office, court-house and internal revenue office building at Trenton, N. J., and appropriating \$100,000 for the purpose.

The House refused to suspend the rules—ayes 100, noes 60—not two-thirds voting in the affirmative. affirmative. At half-past twelve, on motion of Mr. Dawes, the House took a recess till a quarter past one. The House was called to order at a quarter past one o'clock, when the Secretary of the

Senate appeared and announced that the Senate had agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the Indian appropriation bill.

Mr. Dawes announced that it would take the clerks until five o'clock to enroll the bill. He therefore submitted a concurrent resolution ex-

tending the time of the session until 5 o'clock which was not agreed to.

Mr. Da ves said that by this report the House gained nothing. It left the question open until the next session. The committee did not feel willing to assume the responsibility, and he submitted the matter to the House without delete.

would be an objective point in case of war, and authorizing the President to protest against any attempt to seize the island by any other power; and, if he deems it necessary, to recog-nize the insurrectionary government.

The resolution was rejected by a very decisive vote.

Mr. Logan (Ill.) moved a suspension of the rules to pass the Senate resolution for the relief of certain contractors for building war vessels

Means, with instructions to report forthwith; which was agreed to.

Messrs Butler. (Mass.,) Cox. (N. Y.,) and ingersoll. (Ill.,) each offered resolutions to allow

At 2:17 the House, on motion of Mr. Dickey took a recess for an hour.

second two-tenths, from the right of the third three-tenth, and so on to the number nine, from which 9-10's are taken from the right, or what amounts to the same thing, one-tenth from the left. Number one is passed as it is, with tenth gone from the right; the one-tenth taken from number one is pasted to the residue of number two, from which two-tenth had been number two, from which two-tenth had been taken, these two-tenths are made to answer the place of the three tenths taken from number three, and so on through. Thus nine five dollar notes are completed, leaving the original number nine, with a tenth gone from the left as a tenth note. It will be seen that but a tenth is gone from each bill, and in a different place on every one, and a little ingenious pasting makes the loss imperceptible to ordinary observers. It is certain that large numbers of these mutilated bills have been put in circulation, and our readers will do well to look out for them. The rogues who have carried out the fraud were cunning in selecting the denomination they did. Larger bills would have been more closely scrutinized, and smaller ones would not have been so remunerative. The department will not redeem a bill which bears evidence on its face that it has been tampered with, and we advise our friends to scrutinize their five dollar bills closely.—Pittsburg Evening Mail, July 12.

the refusal of the King of Prussia to receive Count Benedetti or to sign the promises required of him by the French government created considerable excitement in France. Napoleon immediately left St. Cloud and arrived in Paris at noon, where he met his Minister at the Tuileries. Count Benedetti, the French Minister at Berlin, has been ordered to return to France, and only awaits the departure of to France, and only awaits the departure the Prussian Minister from Paris. The North

acres of barren, worthless land in the vicinity of the French metropolis have been transformed into rich, arable soil, producing an abundance of cereals, tubers, fruits and vegetables. Paris formerly got rid of its offal by throwing it into the river. Now the only refuse is a liquid, which being purified by an admixture of sulphate of alumnium, flows into the Seine limpid and inoderous.

city, we learn that on yesterday week, while Miss Murray, daughter of Joseph W. Murray, and Miss Hill, daughter of Daniel Hill, both of St. John's Berkley, were returning from church with Mr. Murray, they took shelter under a tree to avoid a wetting from a shower. While there the lightning struck the tree and instantly killed the two young ladies. Mr. Murray, who was standing near by, was uninjured.—Charleston (S.

Those of the Protestant clergy who claim infallibility for themselves, cannot logically object to the claim of the Pope to be infallible .-Boston Transcript.

Mile Morlacchi, a well-known dancer, has turned farmer, and is raising cows in Massachu-

Long Branch belle who dresses eight times a day, and drives along the beach behind four different teams every time the earth makes a revo-

87A Mr. Livermore, of Georgetown, Kv., thinks it wonderful that he should have survived for several years with a lizard in his stomach The vitality of the lizard strikes us as infinitely more remarkable.

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The Maryland Freestore M. and M. Co. are now prepared to furnish WINDOW SILLS and LINTELS, STEPS, PLATFORMS, DOUBSILLS, ASHLER, &c. Also, BOUGH DIMENSION STONE to order. RUBBLE STONE for heavy masonry

For Price List for 1870, call at Office, 1418 F treet, or Stone Yard, foot K street, Bock Creek, ap Z-was, m C. W. BAYDEN, Secretary

STORAGE WANTED.—Persons wishing to store goods can find BOOM on reasonable terms, at No. 319 7th street. Furniture packed and removed by experienced hands. Second-hand Furniture bought. Parties desiring to sell their entire Household Furniture would do well, before disposing of the same, to call on WALTER B. WILLIAMS, in charge of Green & Williams, Branch House, No. 319 7th street, between G and H stress; porth.

The ayes and nocs on Mr. Logan's bill were then taken, and the bill passed. Mr. Schenck moved to refer the message of the President to the Committee of Ways and

registers to foreign vessels under certain cir-cumstances; which were referred to the same

THE LATEST Deduce—How 850 are made Out of \$45.—A very ingenious trick, by which a gang of swindlers are making money by mutilating national bank notes of the denomination of five dollars, has recently come to our notice. The dodge consists in making ten bills out of nine, and is so managed that there is but one pasting to each of the manufactured notes. The nine whole bills are taken, and from the right of the first one-tenth is sliced off; from the right of the second two-tenths; from the right of the

THE SITUATION IN EUROPE.—The news of

German Parliament meets next week. Bis marck is said to be disgusted at the action of King William in having acceded to any of the demands of France. A Brussels despatch says energetic exertions for the preservation of peace but so far they have made no progress. demonstrated the value of the sewerage of a large city. In the course of a year five thousand acres of barren, worthless land in the vicinity

TWO YOUNG LADIES KILLED BY LIGHTNING. From a private letter to a gentleman in this

The women of an Illinois town, discarding suffrage aspirations, have organized themselves nto a practical working society, known as the

fetts. This is exceedingly appropriate, since all her money came from her calves. Mistress Annie Welch is the name of a

It is hinted in Paris that M. Offenbach's next theme for an opera will be the English legend of the Lady Godiva. "Tom Peeping," as the French call him, will naturally be made

the lever of the heroine."

Those Choice BUILDING LOTS at HUNTING-TON, of which above 2.00 have already been sold to our best business men of Washington for Country Homes, will continue to be sold for the next 30 days, Now that the Baltimore and Potomac Bailroad

for one month longer, to sell them at so nominal a price.

Lying, as they do, at the Junction of the Main Stem of said railroad, with its Lateral Branch into Washington City, it makes an important depot there, at which all trains, express and otherwise, will always stop. Parties will be able to ride to and from Washington, from this point as often as they desire, at an expense of but eleven cents per day.

The Railroad Company have located their Machine Shops and general Round-House there. The grounds of the townall gradually rise each way from the depot and railways, and are high and dry, and it is one of the healthiest localities known.

Taxes are paid for 1870, and will be paid for the years 1871 and 1872 by the proprietors on all lots sold. A steam saw-mill and brick making has been recently established at this place, which will insure all building material at wastly reduced prices. An agricultural society has been located there, which will add greatly to the success of the town.

One thousand more of the lots will be sold for \$25 each, on terms of payments to suit.

Parties desirous of purchasing will be afforded a passage to and from Huntington, free of expense, upon calling at at the office, 940 F street, next to corner of 10th.

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This ceaseless working "Electric Disk" can discoive and remove old rheumatic indurations which may be causing protracted lameness, cure singuish tumors and enlarged glands, and heal indelent ulcers. Price \$3. See circulars.

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Mr. Sargent, amid the greatest confusion, declared the report the surrender by the House of everything, in principle and in fact.

The report of the conference committee was then adopted, the greatest tumult prevailing.

Mr. Dawes again offered his resolution to extend the time of the session to five o'clock; which was passed.

Mr. Williamson (Minn.) moved to suspend the rules to pass a resolution reciting the probability of a European war; that the Spanish government had for a long period failed to put down the insurrection, and that the island of Cuba would be an objective point in case of war, and